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## CURRENT COMMENTS

### PREMIER BORDEN'S

#### NAVY PROPOSAL

Premier Borden's naval policy

is now before the country. It is

one that would be expected from

a man holding the high position

that Mr. Borden holds in Canada.

It shows that the Premier has a

right conception of Canada's plain

duty to the motherland, at this

opportune moment in the empire's

history. The Canadian press on

the whole is favorable to the

proposals. It was to be expected

that there would be some kickers

—there were born kicking and

have been kicking ever since their

political birth—unless it is a

proposition of their own party. If

the Dominion parliament accepts

Mr. Borden's proposals—and it is

pretty certain it will—the empire

will enter into a new era of hope

and security, supported by the

knowledge that it is a world

empire, with which Great Britain's

enemies will have to reckon. A

small portion of the press is kicking

at Borden's proposals because

they profess to not emergency for

spending so many millions on

Canada's dreadnoughts, and cites

Canada's readiness to help Great

Britain when the emergency arose

in the Boer war. The case of the

Boer war is different. It required

only a few weeks to get the

Canadian contingent ready and

at the scene of action. But in

the case of naval construction it

will take months and perhaps a

year or two before Borden's three

dreadnoughts could be ready to

be of any use in the defense of

the empire. What use would

Canada's big battleships be if an

emergency came suddenly. The

fate of the empire would in all

probability be settled before the

keels of Canada's contribution of

battleships were laid. Unfortunately

the emergency is only too

real to Great Britain, and she is

face to face with the real thing.

But whether we believe there is

an emergency or not it is a matter

of satisfaction that Canada at last

takes her place among the nations

At last Canada shares in the

responsibility of the empire, and

stands shoulder to shoulder with

the other dominions, determined

to do her share in the defence of

the empire. Figures do not ex-

press the real value of Canada's

contribution. That value cannot

be reckoned in dollars and cents.

Mr. Borden's speech, too, when

introducing his proposals, has a

national and imperial significance

which cannot be appreciated too

highly. Canadian in its character

the proposal now before the house

is in the eyes of the world an

object lesson of imperial unity

and strength that cannot but

attract the highest praise for the

statesmanship and patriotism of

the man who framed it. Premier

Borden, without any petty rub-

bling has come out nobly in help-

ing to pay off some of Canada's

debt to the mother country. It

is offered in no mere spirit of

jingoism that the dominion pre-

sents its proposals, and it should

be taken in the same spirit—drop

politics out for once.

### THE WOMAN ON THE FARM

Much is said and written in this

day regarding the improvement of

live stock, the selection of seed,

the modern methods of tillage

and advancement in the various

branches of agriculture. Great

as the need is for these things,

the requirements for conserving

the strength of the woman on

the farm should not take second

place. On too many farms con-

venience and labor-saving de-

vices for the women are given

very little, if any, attention at

all by the men. Thousands of pur-

bred animals are better housed

and receive more intelligent at-

tention than many of our farm

women. The farmer, oftentimes

hardened by the rigours of his daily

toil and hence competition, is

unresponsive to the spoken or

silent appeal of the wife for more

convenient surroundings, and is

guilty, unintentionally perhaps, of

lamentable neglect of things more

vital than stock, crops and profit.

As an example of what has

been mentioned, the situation of

the source of water supply for

the farm home can be cited. It

is often at a considerable distance

from the house, and the water has

to be carried by the woman. At

a conservative estimate, the

woman, shown in the above illu-

stration has, in carrying the water

needed each year for the house,

to walk some 300 miles, and it is

often up hill at that. This is not

an isolated case, but one of many

Where the water has to be carried

so far, the chances are that not so

much is used as should be, to

keep things clean and in a sani-

tary condition. A small expen-

diture of time and money would

install a system whereby water

would be on tap in the house and

many miles of weary and needless

trudging avoided.

On some farms water is avail-

able as a source of power, and

may be harnessed to do work now

being done by hand, the only

cost being the installation of the

apparatus. The windmill is a

very cheap source of power be-

cause there is no outlay for wages

food or fuel. The following re-

garding the gasoline engine is

taken from an article by Dr. C. J.

Lynde, of Macdonald College, on

Farm Power:

Gasoline Engine and Man

Power.—A man works at the rate

of about 1.00 horse power. That

is, the ordinary man in one hour

does one-tenth horse power hour

of work. If we consider a man's

time to be worth at least one

dollar a day, it costs one dollar to

do one horse power hour of work

by man power. A gasoline en-

gine uses one pint of gasoline

per horse power per hour. If we

take gasoline at 20 cents a gallon

a pint costs 25 cents. The cost

of one horse power hour of work

done by gasoline engine, there-

fore, is 25 cents. When one horse

power hour of work is done by a

man the cost is one dollar; when

done by a gasoline engine it is

25 cents. This illustrates the

great advantage of a gasoline

engine."

One or other of these three

is within the reach of many far-

mers who are without them today

but who could, and should, install

them for the sake of saving the

time and energy of the woman on

the farm.

## The Farmer's Store, Cayley

I beg to announce to my many Patrons and Friends that on and after

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L. R. CASPELL

The editor learns with regret that an article which was published in the Hustler of a recent date was made to imply that a lady or ladies were drinking and creating a disturbance either in a house or on the streets of Cayley. This rumor, we are glad to state, is entirely without foundation, and, as we understand, that this implication has been directly connected with a certain young lady living in a neighboring town we have made careful enquiries resulting in exonerating the said young lady from any implication whatever. Never to our knowledge has any woman ever been implicated in any drunken disturbance in this locality. Unfortunately some scandal loving gossips have so distorted the original article that we hardly know the little chap ourselves.

## NOTICE

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act authorizing it to lay out, construct and operate a railway from a point at or near Cayley, on the Macleod Branch, in a Southerly and South-westerly direction to a point at or near Burnis, on the Crow's Nest Sub-division.

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## By HAROLD WINSTON

The offer was not to my liking and I gave her no immediate reply. She followed up the question by offering me \$5,000 for myself and \$10,000 for each of the two crew members. I told her that I would not leave in case her expedition were unsuccessful, to be paid whether there was fighting to be done or if the scheme could be handled peacefully. I convinced the crew and they agreed that if I thought the matter involved a necessity they would go in under my command. The deal was made without protest.

playing a legal game. She was simply trying to get her charge into a position where she could tie him up in a lock. She dare not go ashore for a purpose, for the police in every port had been given orders by Miss Tolson to arrest her if she appeared. She dare not bring a minister aboard, this would give her design away to him and her crew.

I proved that I and her crew were not aware of her real scheme, and escaped prosecution. Miss Hurler was sent to prison for abduction.

O'Brien—Come home an' have a  
per wid me, Murphy.  
Murphy (looking at his watch)  
Shure, it's past 9 be the clock!  
wife will be mad as the devil!  
O'Brien—Yis; that's just it,  
she can't lick the two av us.

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**Sash Cords.**  
The life of a sash cord will  
lengthened if it be dusted and wi-  
with a greased cloth occasionally.

public offices will have to work."—  
trot Free Press.

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**Look Beyond the Frames.**

We should laugh if a man said  
went to an art gallery to see the  
ture frames. Yet that is how man  
go through life and it is little won  
that they are soon tired.

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Time appears long only to those w  
don't know how to use it.

Lucky.  
Missus—I see you broke my c  
plate in two. The Cook—This is  
lucky day. I generally have to ga  
the pieces in a dustpan.—Chi  
News.

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The Explanation.  
"How was it the thieves got a  
with that roll of carpet?"  
"I suppose they beat it."—Balti  
American.

"Death is the cure for all ills," but, as set forth in its book of rules, candidates for membership had first of all to show that they had a substantial reason for wishing to die. A would-be candidate who presented himself with the weight of ten or more years of unhappy married life was received with open arms. Loss of fortune, incurable disease and a record of ill luck were also excellent qualifications for membership.



being stupid.

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any a man has found that the  
formation dated from immediately  
a marriage.







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### Local News

Mr. W. Hicklin of Kinnendale is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Shaktleton is in town looking after his interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gillispie left last week for Inniskipp, Ont.

Admission to the Cayley Bazaar is free. They want you to spend your money. Do you see?

A few of our "clog-hoppers" attended the ball given at Nanton last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Scragg have returned home from their visit to Inniskipp.

The Bazaar goods are made to be sold, so there will be no "hold up" prices on the 14th.

A great number of exquisitely trimmed dolls will be one strong feature of the Bazaar on the 14th.

Mr. C. Douglas is building a new residence on Railway street south.

Set apart the Bazaar date, Saturday, Dec. 14th, and be sure you take it in.

The arrival of a new baby girl Carr at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Carr last Thursday created quite a sensation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chaffee left last week to make Oregon their home. Mr. Chaffee purchased a farm there.

McMeekin & Scragg, hardware merchants, are showing a handy stock of goods suitable for Christmas and New Year's presents. They have just the thing you want. Drop in and see.

Miss Grant is able to get out again after her late illness.

The ladies of the Methodist aid are working for dear life and expect to have all in readiness for the Bazaar date, Dec. 14th.

It has been decided to hold a Sunday school union Christmas tree and entertainment in the Presbyterian hall on Xmas eve.

The weather man is doing his best to give us seasonable winter weather; but, somehow, Old Sol wouldn't give in to the snow and ice man.

One of the social events of the season was given in the nature of a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Brown, on Thursday evening last, when some thirty of their friends from Braeside and Cayley enjoyed a very pleasant time. During the evening Miss Ash, on behalf of the other friends, addressed Mr. and Mrs. Brown, and in a few well chosen words, emphasised their loyalty the Braeside Sunday school, and presented them with a beautiful tea set (two pieces). After partaking of the dainty refreshments provided by the ladies, the party joined in heartily singing. Auld Lang Syne, returned to their homes, having enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

### Sheep Raising

In their report on the sheep industry the commissioners who investigated it on behalf of the Dominion government, state, among other things, that sheep in this country are, as a rule, poorly housed and poorly fed, that severe losses sustained through lack of proper care during the winter season and that from shearing to marketing no country in the world handles its wool in a worse manner. Besides pointing out these weaknesses the commissioners report fully upon the state of the industry in Great Britain and describe how Old Country shepherds handle their flocks. "Evidences of a definite object in breeding operations," they state, "are to be found on every hand, a certain demand being kept in view and every effort made to build up a reputation, and afterwards to hold it."

A farmer there may keep sheep of the breed popular in the district, and although they may not be eligible for record in any association flock book they are very highly bred and young ewes are sold at very remunerative prices to neighboring farmers for crossing purposes.

For producing early lambs the ewes are bred to lamb soon after New Year's day. Male lambs not intended for the early trade are always wethered. Besides grass pastures such crops as kale, vetches, rape, cabbages and turnips are grown for the sheep. These are often sown in succeeding periods in season so that when one is consumed another is ready, thus providing fresh feed a great part of the summer. The sheep are not allowed to forage over large areas, but are often kept within portable fences, which are moved periodically to take in new patches.

The same thoroughness is exercised in the treatment of the flock throughout the winter, with the result that sheep keeping is a highly profitable branch of English agriculture.

The report of the Sheep Commission is rich in information of the greatest value to persons interested in any branch of the sheep industry. Copies are still available for distribution to those who apply for them to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

### The Day of the Big Range is Over

According to Mr. Ings, one of the best known ranchers in Alberta, the day of the big range is over, and no step which the ranching commission may recommend to the Dominion government can restore the conditions of the past. Homestead land has been opened in such a way that it breaks up many of the best ranges, and as the title to this property has in many cases passed out of the hands of the government there remains no way in which the broken range can be restored. Railway land did not offer such a great obstacle, as railway land was for sale to anyone willing to put up the price, and ranchers who were in earnest in maintaining runs for their stock had not hesitated to buy these lands even at prices running high for grazing purposes. But the homestead land was not for sale and so the rancher had no means of protecting himself from the encroachments of the wheat farmer, often into districts little adapted by nature to such a purpose.

For these reasons Mr. Ings holds that the restoration of ranching to its old-time glory in this country is no longer possible, but much can still be done to stimulate the ranching industry. Closed leases running for at least 15 years, and preferably 21, are essential to the welfare of the stock men. Much of the scarcity of cattle of the present day is due to the fact that some years ago ranchers, having no guarantee of permanent pastures for their herds, disposed of their females and in other ways curtailed the production. To-day when the rancher, tempted by the record price to which fat cattle have soared, wishes to restrict his range, he must go to a banker for the purpose of raising money for the purchase of females, and the first question asked by the money dispenser is whether the lease is open or closed. If an open lease the rancher has little prospect of being given the necessary credit, as the fact that he can be closed out before his new stock will reach marketable age makes him an undesirable financial risk. This difficulty can be removed by giving closed leases for at least 15 years, and the improper occupation of leases could be prevented by the rigid enforcement of rules requiring specified numbers of cattle to be maintained on each lease.

### Of Interest to Farmers

The so-called "lucky" poultryman is he who attends to every detail of the business, no matter how trivial some of them may seem. Good, careful management will bring good results.

Remember that several western farmers made good money in feeding low grade wheat to hogs and steers last winter.

Those who wish to get a good start in pure bred poultry have a good chance to do it now when feeders are anxious to sell off surplus cockles and other breeding stock in excess of available housing.

Don't send any of the lambs to market in thin condition. The buyers discriminate against them and they go for less than they are worth.

To prepare for winter feeding of your winter hens, store away some well cured clover or alfalfa, good succulent mangles (or in case of not having them, turnips will do), fresh clean sand, and gravel.

J. S. Perry, provincial poultry inspector in British Columbia.

makes the prediction that eggs may reach \$1.00 a dozen in the Coast province this winter. He claims that "the season has been an abnormally bad one in the east, where there is a 40 per cent. shortage in chickens, and practically no reserve of eggs in cold storage. This was caused by the cold weather through April and May, which prevented any satisfactory results from hatching previous to June."

Remember that that hired man of yours will work very cheaply during the winter months, if you will find some sort of employment for him. He is not anxious to go to the city or to go away east, but he is forced to do that or to stay idle until spring. Can you blame him?

Remember that all classes of growing stock need nutritious feeds.

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